

HOW TO JOIN C.A.N.?

Come to an **ORIENTATION SESSION** for a full briefing on the CAN Network and the role of community advocates

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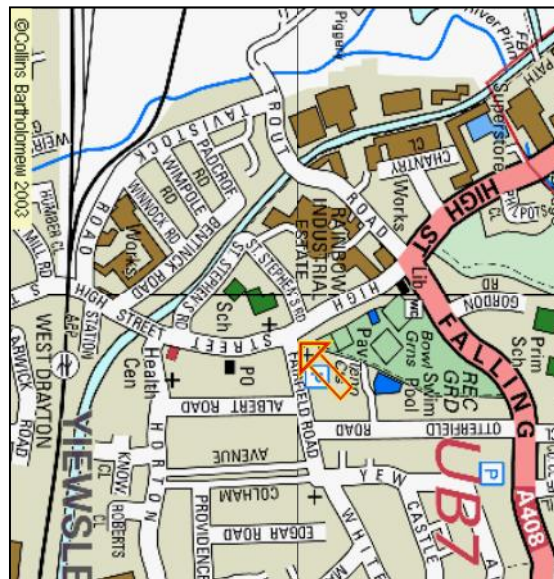


REAP is a registered charity No. 1103345, working across West London. Our mission is to empower people from refugee communities to rebuild their lives within the United Kingdom and reach their full potential.

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C.A.N.
COMMUNITY ADVOCATES'
NETWORK



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- ❖ Do you help friends or family go to the doctor's, pharmacists or shops?
- ❖ Do you help friends ask the questions they want to ask and get the information they need?
- ❖ Do you ever interpret for people between your languages and English?

Do you want to see refugees have a voice in matters that affect them?

An excellent way to

- ❖ gain confidence
- ❖ use your languages
- ❖ build a career
- ❖ meet other people doing similar work.

C.A.N. is a members' network based at REAP in Hillingdon Borough. Members do interpreting and advocacy work with people from refugee and asylum-seeking communities. C.A.N. members have written their own Code of Conduct and set their own conditions and pay rates. The network helps you find out information about voluntary or paid jobs and training opportunities for interpreting and advocacy. CAN members can set up their own projects and groups with help from CAN staff and fellow-members.

What will I do?

You may:

- ❖ Volunteer to support individuals at appointments
- ❖ Gain experience for part-time paid interpreting work
- ❖ Take up training in interpreting and advocacy
- ❖ Expand your existing skills into new areas
- ❖ Make contacts with professionals and learn about training and job opportunities

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